

Alexandria Gazette.

SATURDAY EVENING, AUG. 24, 1907.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:21 a. m. and sets at 6:43 p. m. High water at 9:12 a. m. and 9:37 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Sunday; fresh northwesterly winds.

Church Services Tomorrow.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY—Rev. Wm. J. Morton, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. R. K. Massey.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH—Morning prayer and service at 11 a. m. by Rev. L. E. Combs.

GRACE CHURCH—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. by Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. Mr. May.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH—First mass at 7 a. m. Mass and sermon at 10:00 a. m. Vespers at 8:00 p. m.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. Dr. W. F. Fisher.

TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Young People's Prayer Meeting at 7:30 p. m.

REDEEMER M. E. CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. W. M. Poirer.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. Charles D. Ball, pastor—9:30 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. Preaching by Rev. W. H. Ballenger. 7:30 p. m. Epworth League. 8:00 p. m. Preaching by Rev. J. Fred Feake.

METHODIST PROTESTANT CHURCH—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Class meeting at 2 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.

FIRE METHODIST CHURCH—Lee street near Wilkes—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. R. A. Seull.

VILLAGE CHURCH, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Gibson street, near Alfred—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

BAPTIST MISSION—Corner of Pendleton and Columbus streets—Sunday school and preaching at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting every Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock. Young men are invited.

DR. HAY CHURCH, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Epworth school at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 8 p. m.

ALMS HOUSE—Services at 3:30 p. m. Mission—East side of Fairfax street, between Franklin and Jefferson streets.—No services.

ROBERTS CHURCH, M. E. CHURCH (colored)—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

MEADE CHURCH—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Evening service at 5 p. m.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH (colored)—at 113 Alfred street—Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor—Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

SCHOOL BOARD.

At a called meeting of the City School Board held last night there were present, Capt. Herbert Bryson, chairman, and Messrs. Thompson, Yates, Ramsay, Thomson, Bradshaw, Boothe, Carter, and the Superintendent.

The chairman stated that the meeting had been called for the purpose of electing a teacher to succeed the late W. H. Greenwood.

Applications for the position from Messrs. Fitzgerald Jones, of this city, and S. A. Lehman, of Rockville, Md., and Miss M. A. Nevett, of this city were read.

Mr. Thompson moved the matter of salary would be taken into consideration and retrenchment made if practicable.

Mr. Yates said the present was an opportunity, not presented for years past for the election by the board of a teacher fully equal, if not superior, to the one whose place was to be filled; other sections of the State were demanding higher qualifications for their teachers and Alexandria should do the same. He advocated the election of those who had prepared themselves in the State institutions as teachers and said Mr. Jones was a graduate of William and Mary College and in every way fitted for the position.

Mr. Thomson asked the Superintendent if any of the other teachers were competent to fill the vacancy, and the Superintendent replied that Miss Nevett was qualified for the position.

Mr. Thomson nominated Miss Nevett, and advocated the election of a teacher in the system—they should be given the preference.

Mr. Yates stated that but few of the teachers attended the State normal; they had asked last year for holiday to attend the State educational meeting and then but two of them had gone.

As to concerning the matter, the Superintendent stated that he favored a male teacher for the vacant position and thought the more male teachers in Washington school the better it would be for that school.

The salary of the position was then fixed at \$65 per month for the ensuing year and a vote being taken for teacher result as follows: For Mr. Jones—Messrs. Thompson, Yates, Ramsay, Boothe, Carter and the chairman—6; for Miss Nevett—Messrs. Thomson, Bradshaw and Carne. So Mr. Jones was declared elected.

Miss Amanda R. Carne was elected a substitute teacher in the schools.

Several bills for repairs to the building were ordered to be paid and the board then adjourned.

HARRIS IN RICHMOND JAIL.

With the fear of death showing in his face, William Harris, charged with an attempted criminal assault upon Miss Louisa Rowland, of Chester, broke down in the Richmond jail yesterday morning, his cries of terror filling the corridors, silencing all other sounds. Fearing violence, the negro had been taken to Richmond from Alexandria on an early morning train. The negro seems to realize his position. He does not deny the crime with which he is accused. He knows and seems to expect that he may be hanged. During the day and night that Harris was confined in the station-house in this city he seemed to be perfectly composed and in no way affected by his fate.

THE STEAMER.

As was stated, the steamer Norfolk, on Metompki deep water, passed on yesterday afternoon.

Rescue, of the company, of the Norfolk tugboat, was seen in getting the boat.

The Norfolk will resume route between Washington and Norfolk tonight.

DE WEATHER.

all which set in yesterday was followed by occasional rain about three o'clock this morning.

The heaviest downpours were tonight. The weather today has been mild.

The mercury at 2 p. m. this evening registered 86°.

LUNA PARK.

Music lovers will have but a few days more to enjoy the concert as rendered by the Greater Washington Band. For descriptive music, this band has no equal, and as soon as a new composition of any merit is introduced and put on the market, the band's wide awake leader, John Bovelto, immediately adds it to his extensive repertoire.

The Dixie Troubadours, a contingent of colored folks, will introduce jubilee singing, buck and wing dancing, cake walks and scenes reminiscent of the South before the War.

Another feature of unusual interest will be the famous Weiss Brothers, who are miniature counterparts of the great Sandow. These little athletes will introduce wrestling, scientific boxing bouts, club juggling and other diversions pertaining to athletic sports. While giving their exhibitions of the marvellous art, they go through all the formalities of the world's famous ring generals.

The Social Twirl is attracting large crowds daily, repeating the success that attended the Jamestown Exposition run.

The guessing contest will be brought to a termination at an early date, and all those wishing to try their luck and determine how many electric bulbs there are within the park's enclosure, have but a short while to do so. The winner will be awarded \$500.

FAVORS HIGHWAY BRIDGE.

Gen. Aleshire, the new quartermaster general of the army, devotes a chapter of his annual report to the improvements in progress and in prospect at the Arlington national cemetery. In advocating better means of approach to the cemetery Gen. Aleshire says:

"Attention is again invited to the recommendation in the annual report for 1904 in favor of the construction of the Memorial Bridge across the Potomac which has been considered for several years. With a view to securing a shorter, more convenient and attractive route to the Arlington national cemetery the construction of a new road from the Virginia end of the new Highway bridge to the government reservation has been considered, surveys made and cost estimated. This route would avoid the long trip through Georgetown and across the Aqueduct bridge, be shorter and more pleasant in every way, and its construction is recommended."

FIREMEN'S CONVENTION.

The Alexandria firemen will leave next Tuesday morning on one of the steamers of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company for Newport News where the State Firemen's Convention will meet on the 28th instant. Messrs. J. D. Webster and Joseph DeSilva will represent the Relief Hook and Ladder Company; Messrs. W. K. Griffith, R. L. Merchant, J. F. Pettoy, George A. Norris, John Travers and Walter Hughes, with A. Baccigalupi, E. O. Craven, J. L. Duffey, Samuel Elliott and Wm. L. Craven as alternates, from the Columbia Company; Messrs. M. Glasgow, Arthur Grimes and J. R. N. Cartin will represent the Reliance Company. Delegations from each organization will accompany the delegates. The Reliance Drum Corps (fifteen pieces) will also go to Newport News.

THE LATE JOHN W. TURNER.

The officials of the electric railway are still endeavoring to get into communication with relatives of the late John W. Turner, who was killed by falling from a movable tower at Spring Park a few days ago. As has been stated, the remains are now in the vault at St. Mary's Cemetery. Turner was 33 years old, was 5 feet 7 inches high, weighed 185 or 190 pounds, was of light complexion and smooth face. He said he was a native of North Carolina, but had before coming to Alexandria lived in Jackson, Tenn.

PROBING ALLEGED SHORTAGE.

G. H. Buchert, representing the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Company, of Alexandria, is at Salisbury, N. C., investigating the shortage of Robert R. Taylor, until Wednesday manager of the branch business of the Robert Porter Brewing Company in Salisbury. Small alleged peculations, dating from May, are said to amount now to over \$350. Taylor is still in jail, unable to give \$600 bond. Taylor admits the shortage, but denies criminal intent. He has a family in Danville.

DEATH OF MRS. WILLIAMS.

Mrs. Catherine Williams, wife of Mr. J. W. Williams, residing at 1829 Duke street, died yesterday evening, after a brief illness, at the Alexandria Hospital. The deceased was thirty-five years old. Mrs. Williams was a daughter of Mr. Walter H. Able, of Prince William county. The remains will be taken to Quantico for interment Sunday. Mrs. Williams' infant child also died at the hospital.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.] There were but two cases before the Police Court this morning—both parties charged with disorderly conduct in which no more dangerous weapons than tongues were used. The parties (three of whom were women) were dismissed with an admonition.

CHURCH IMPROVEMENTS.

As stated yesterday the old First Presbyterian church building on south Fairfax street, now occupied by the congregation of Bethany M. P. Church, is being re-roofed. Next week the interior of the building will be repainted and otherwise improved. This is one of the finest church buildings in the city.

THE MARKET.

There was another abundant supply of country produce in market this morning, but prices had not declined materially. Butter was selling at former prices, but eggs showed an advancing tendency, in some instances bringing 25 cents a dozen. Lima beans were sold at 20 cents a quart, and peaches 25 cents a quarter peck.

The schooner Dixon, with lumber from Smoot & Co., has sailed for Monday's Point.

Get a free sample of Dr. Shoop's "Health Coffee" at our store. If real coffee disturbs your stomach, your heart or kidneys, then try this "Health Coffee" instead. Dr. Shoop has very closely imitated Old Java and Mocha Coffee in flavor and taste, yet it has not a single grain of real coffee in it. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee is made from pure selected grains or cereals, with Malt, Nut, etc. Made in a minute. No tedious wait. You will surely like it. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

Fine Norfolk Oysters in all styles at Open House Cafe today.

PERSONAL.

Miss Elizabeth Watkins has returned from a pleasant vacation spent in Ashburn, Orange and Manassas.

Miss Marie Green, of Alexandria, is in Shepherdstown visiting Miss Agnes Brown.—[Register.]

Mr. Lennox Uhler is in a hospital at St. Louis ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. Harris Franklin, spent several days during the week at "Nelson," near La Plata, Md.

Miss Mary Glenn Uhler, who was sick with typhoid fever while at Capon Springs, has been brought home and is now much better.

Rev. Dr. Brooke, formerly of this city, is ill with typhoid fever at his home at Romney.

Miss Bessie A. Marks is visiting at the residence of Mrs. Harry Hanzmon, in Charlottesville.

Rev. R. K. Massey, of the Theological Seminary, will preach tomorrow morning at Christ Church.

Capt. William Moore, one of the oldest and best known engineers on the Southern Railway, is quite ill at his home in Fifeville.—[Charlottesville Progress.]

Mr. D. R. Stansbury and family have returned from a visit to Atlantic City.

Mr. C. C. Carlin left today to attend the Loudoun camp meeting at Benton's woods. On Monday he will address the Sons of Confederate Veterans at the camp.

Miss Inez Marshall, who is at the Sweet Chalybeate Springs, is sick there with appendicitis, though the case is not a serious one.

Miss Ethel Johnson, of Upperville, is visiting Mrs. Nena Tanner, at 223 north St. Asaph street.

Mr. J. R. Caton has gone to Portland, Me., to attend a meeting of the American Bar Association to which he was chosen a delegate by the Virginia Bar Association.

Mrs. Louis S. Greene has gone to the White Sulphur Springs to spend a few weeks.

A letter received here today from Atlantic City states that Mr. C. R. Hood, who recently fractured his leg there, is resting comfortably and is doing as well as could be expected.

Murray Decatur has been appointed postmaster at Millies, Stafford county, Va., vice Wilson Decatur, removed.

Col. L. S. Brown, the general agent of the Southern Railway Company, is back at his desk in the general offices of that company in Washington, after a long and serious illness during the spring and early summer, which came near proving fatal for some weeks.

THE WRIGHT CASE.

Joseph Thomas, alias John Wright, colored, is sentenced to be hanged in the jail yard of the county next Friday morning for an assault on Miss Mabel Risley near Luna Park last August. Wright was sentenced to be hanged last May, but a reprieve was granted by Governor Swanson till August 30. The county authorities having heard nothing from Governor Swanson concerning a further reprieve, are making preparations for the execution next Friday.

FAIRFAX REPUBLICANS.

The republicans of Fairfax met at the court house of that county at 3 o'clock today to nominate candidates for county offices and also a candidate for the House of Delegates. At 3:30 o'clock no nominations had been made, but a telephone message stated that Mr. James W. Roberts would probably receive the legislative nomination.

EXPLOSION OF GASOLINE STOVE.

The alarm of fire about 1:30 this evening was caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove at the residence of Mr. J. N. Nalls, on upper Duke street. The fire department responded, but the flames were extinguished before any material damage resulted.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

A very interesting meeting of Mt. Vernon Council, No. 1, Daughters of America was held last evening. The Deputy National Councilor was present and her address was much enjoyed by all present.

Select Annapolis Hard Crabs at the Opera House Cafe today; 40c per dozen.

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NOTE—Alexandria County and Tournament Day, that was to have been held Friday, August 23d, has been postponed to Tuesday